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VIA E-MAIL

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Ms. Julie Jordan Metts Supervisor, Air Quality Santee Cooper One Riverwood Drive Moncks Corner, SC 29461

RE: State Mercury Limits Considered in 112(g) Case-By-Case MACT Application

Dear Ms. Metts:

In response to your request for background information regarding state mercury limits considered in Santee Cooper's 112(g) analysis, we provide the following:

This letter confirms that Trinity Consultants (Trinity) performed an extensive review of the state programs for regulating mercury emissions from coal-fired power plants. Page 2 of Appendix C of the submitted 112g case-by-case MACT application provides a discussion regarding potential application of these state mercury rules to a 112g analysis. State mercury programs reviewed were identified in survey prepared by the National Association of Clean Air Agencies (NACAA) and are available at the following website address:

http://www.4cleanair.org/Documents/StateTable.pdf.

The NACAA survey included summary of mercury programs (including relevant mercury emissions limits) for all 50 states, with links to more detailed rules.

If you have any additional questions, please feel free to contact me at 404-256-1919.

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